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Mail Stop Amendment

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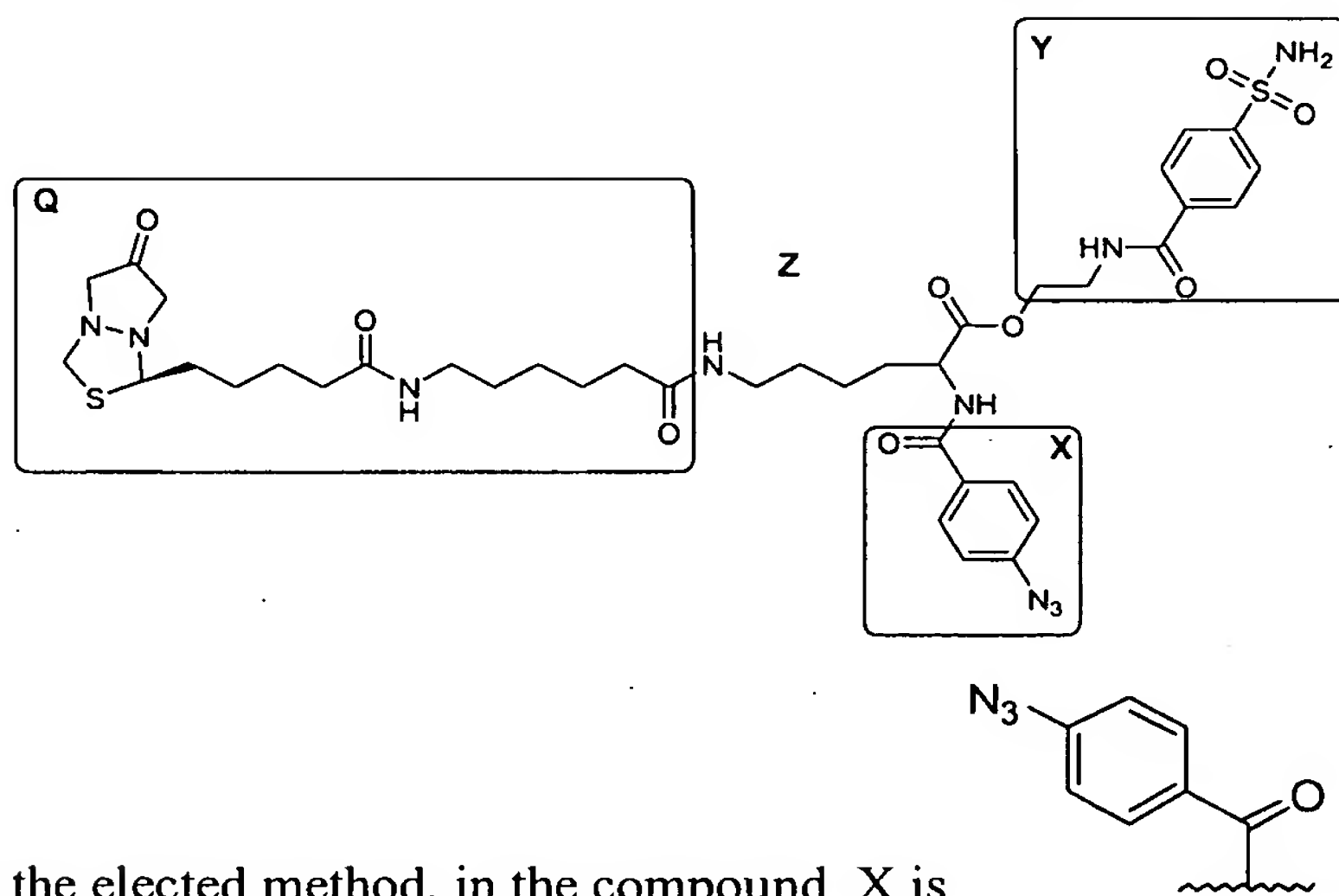
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ELECTION AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action, setting forth Requirement for Restriction, mailed July 07, 2010, Applicant reiterates the previous election set forth in the response, **dated September 01, 2006**, to the election of species requirement, of methods in which the capture compound is compound A set forth on page 124. In compound A on page 124, Q is biotin with a linker, X is an aryl azide, Y is an exemplary drug, an aryl sulfonamide, and Z is lysine, as illustrated below:



Thus in the elected method, in the compound X is , Q comprises biotin and Z is lysine. Y, which is user selected, is a sulfonamide in this compound. Claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 10, 17, 34, 44, 75, 110, 116, 137, 139, 140, 144, 151, 152, 160, 161, 163, 164, 166, 169 and 175 read on the elected species.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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